



Glenda Ritz, Superintendent of Public Instruction

MEMORANDUM

TO: Indiana School Counselors
FROM: Office of Student Services

SUBJECT: IDOE School Counselor Workshops

DATE: August 8, 2016

Registration for the annual School Counselor regional workshops has been posted to:

http://www.doe.in.gov/student-services/student-assistance/current-events-and-updates. Those interested in registering will be asked to complete a short survey before being directed to the registration page, after which a confirmation email will be sent. This year, the workshops are being held in collaboration with the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE), Indiana Commission for Higher Education (CHE), and the Indiana Student Financial Aid Association (ISFAA). The ISFAA Counselor Workshops, covering all things financial aid, will be held in the morning, followed by the DOE workshop in the afternoon. The DOE workshop will include presentations from DOE, the Indiana Department of Workforce Development (DWD) and Career and Technical Education practitioners and counselors. The following topics will be addressed:

- 2016 legislation, assessments, licensing, college and career counseling initiatives, etc.;
- upcoming improvements to the Indiana Career Explorer, DWD emphasis on demand-driven systems, employability skills; and more!

The list below includes the 5 combined day-long ISFAA/CHE/DOE workshops. For ISFAA morning session times and registration, please visit:

http://www.isfaa.org/docs/counselors/CounselorWorkshopInfo.html.

Additional ISFAA Counselor Workshop dates are also available at the above page.

Lunch will be served to those who plan to attend both the morning and afternoon sessions.

Registration is free and space is limited so register soon!

2016 Workshop Schedule			
September 8	Saint Mary's College,	12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	*ISFAA Counselor
_	Notre Dame, IN		workshop in a.m.
September 12	IUPUI, Indianapolis	12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	*ISFAA Counselor
			workshop in a.m.
September 21	Hanover College,	12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	*ISFAA Counselor
	Hanover		workshop in a.m.
September 22	Rose-Hulman, Terre	12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	*ISFAA Counselor
	Haute		workshop in a.m.
September 28	Indiana Tech, Fort Wayne	12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	*ISFAA Counselor
			workshop in a.m.

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*Note that if you plan to attend the ISFAA Counselor Workshop covering financial aid in the am please be sure to register separately <u>here</u>. Additional ISFAA Counselor Workshop dates and locations are available at their registration site.

A full list of events and professional development opportunities for the 2016-17 school year can be found here: http://www.doe.in.gov/student-assistance/current-events-and-updates.

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